

TELEGRAPH.

The Latest Foreign News.

The Austria-Prussian Question.

Amicable Adjustment Anticipated.

Activity in the Italian Navy.

More Disturbance Anticipated in Spain.

Steamer and 500 Bales of Cotton Burned.

FOREIGN NEWS.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The steamer Scotia, from Queenstown the 22d, has arrived.

The Steamer Washington, at Brest on the 19th, has arrived.

Nothing has been heard of the City of Washington, three weeks out. Heavy premiums are demanded upon her.

The House of Commons continued to debate the Reform Bill. A division is not likely for several days.

Head Center Stephens had been feasted by Marquis DeBossey, at Paris, up to the night of the 20th.

The belief in the pacific adjustment of the German difficulty is growing stronger. Telegrams spoke of concessions by Austria, and other rumors, leading to the conviction that peace would be maintained. Funds in England and on the Continent naturally improve under pacific influences.

The London Times of the 21st ult., however, announces that it had received news on the previous day that the Emperor of Austria and Count Mensdorff, against the advice of some other Ministers, resolved to withdraw Count Kanolyo, Austrian Ambassador, from Berlin, which decision being made known to the Prussian Minister at Vienna, it was expected that he would depart immediately.

It is added, in explanation, that Count Mensdorff, on receiving the Prussian answer, telegraphed to Berlin the repetition of the Austrian demand of the 7th, and received a fresh refusal on the 19th; hence, a Council was held, and a bold course adopted. The Times believes this action is to be followed by significant military movements, viz.: they withdraw all Austrian troops from Holstein, where they are held in check by superior Prussian forces. This would enable Austria to assume the offensive, and the Times says the abandonment of Holstein by Austria will be regarded as an act in anticipation of war, and will cause general alarm. It does not, however, consider war inevitable.

Great activity is reported in the Italian navy. All the vessels are being prepared for service.

There are some apprehensions of fresh disturbances in Spain and Italy. The Portuguese Chamber of Deputies has approved the contract for a telegraph to America by the southern route.

The liabilities of Barnard's Banking Company, Liverpool, which suspended on the 19th, is estimated at three and a quarter millions sterling. A favorable liquidation is expected.

It was feared some large failures would result in Liverpool, but it is stated that the temporary embarrassments have been surmounted.

LIVERPOOL, April 21.—Flour very dull but steady. Wheat in limited demand at about the rates of Tuesday. Corn in good request at 28s 9d@30s for Mixed, and 31s for White. Beef very dull and lower. Pork dull under large arrivals. Bacon very flat and is lower. Lard neglected. Cheese dull and easier. Butter quiet and nominal. Tallow flat and is lower. Sugar dull and lower.

LONDON MARKET.—Wheat generally is higher. Flour 26s@28s.

LIVERPOOL, April 21.—Evening.—Cotton sales to-day 10,000 bales to yesterday's improvements, 2,000 bales to speculators and exporters. Middling Uplands at 14@14 1/4. Consols 78 1/2. They opened lower, but rallied. U. S. 5-20s, 70 1/4@70 1/2.

Mr. Peabody is among the passengers by the Scotia. He was warmly cheered on embarking at Liverpool.

There is as yet no direct confirmation of the warlike statements in the Times to-day.

PARIS, April 21.—Telegrams received here from Vienna, confirm the report that Austria, replying to the Prussian note of the 15th, has submitted propositions for mutual disarmament. The propositions are as follows: Austria and Prussia shall each restore their relative establishments to the status quo which existed prior to the late offensive measures. That the 25th of April be the date for the mutual disarmament. That Austria will disarm on that day, and is even willing that Prussia should only disarm on the 28th. The Austrian propositions are said to have been communicated to Paris and London, where they have been cordially approved.

VIENNA, April 21.—At the next

sitting of the Federal Diet, the communication, it is said, will be made, announcing the question of disarmament. It is in a fair way for settlement.

LIVERPOOL, April 22.—The Globe is authorized to state that the Government has received no information warranting belief in the statement published in the Times, announcing a rupture of diplomatic intercourse between Austria and Prussia. Vienna news reasserts pacific arrangements between the two countries. Austrian Representatives in the Frankfurt Diet made declarations of a peaceable character.

NEWS VIA NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 1.—The Herald's special says that a casual conversation to-day between Secretary Seward and a gentleman from Virginia may throw some light on the former's opinion concerning reconstruction and Mexico. Mr. Seward says he had lately received a letter which had been forty days on the way, advising him to act cautiously in the French and Mexican negotiations, because of the strong probability of a re-commencement of hostilities between the North and South.

The writer assured Mr. Seward, so far as Virginia was concerned, he need have no apprehensions. The Secretary replied that so far as any part of the country is concerned it has had enough to last it for a long time. An intelligent and virtuous woman who has taken the first step in a life of shame never ceases to deplore her misfortune, but through indolence continues to take many such downward steps as long as she lives. Such a country as Mexico may be given over to political revolutions and war, but a virtuous, enlightened and exemplary country like the United States, will not be likely to repeat such folly very often.

In view of the approaching hot and sickly season in the Capital, rooms are being fitted up for the President and his family at the Continental Hotel, Long Branch, New Jersey; the family will probably repair there early, leaving the President to follow on the adjournment of Congress.

The public debt statement, to be issued in a day or two, will show a decrease of about six millions during the month of April.

A memorial from Assistant Marshal O'Bryne, and those employed under him has been presented to the House by Darling, asking for a change of the awards recently made by the Secretary of War, for the capture of Booth and his conspirators. Great dissatisfaction may naturally prevail among those who, feeling themselves entitled to a share of the reward, find they are entirely ignored. The Times special says the dispatch to the effect that the Senate Committee on Commerce had unanimously agreed to report the name of Mr. Symthe for confirmation as Collector of the Port of New York, turns out to be premature, although I thought my authority was worthy of credit. The Chairman of that Committee, Mr. Chandler, was to-day canvassing for the feelings of the House members of the New York delegation, a few of whom are not favorable to Mr. Symthe.

The Tribune's special says: The Senate Committee on the Pacific Railroad, to-day unanimously agreed to report a resolution extending the time for constructing the first one hundred miles of the eastern part of the Kansas branch of the Union Pacific Railroad, to June 1st, providing they finish the second one hundred miles in the same time as they would have completed it if they had finished the first in December last.

FROM DETROIT.

DETROIT, May 1.—The fire at Grand Rapids this morning, destroyed the Union Hotel and four stores with their contents. Total loss, \$100,000; insured for \$40,000.

CINCINNATI, May 1.—The steamer Gibbons was burned at Hurshman's Lake, between Augusta and Savannah, on Friday, with five hundred bales of cotton. Vessel and cargo a total loss.

CINCINNATI, May 1.—The River has fallen two feet with 29 feet four inches in the channel. Weather clear. Thermometer 65°.

PITTSBURG, May 1.—River seven feet eight inches by the pier mark. Weather cloudy, with rain at intervals.

New York Market.

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COTTON.—Irregular, dull and unsettled; 23 1/2c for middling.

WHEAT.—State and Western dull, and prices declined 5c; 78 1/2c for extra State; 8 1/2c for round hoop Ohio; and 9 1/2c for trade brands, closing heavy.

WHISKY.—Dull; 2 1/2c for 20c; 2 1/2c for 20c; 2 1/2c for 20c.

WHEAT.—Dull, heavy, and 23 1/2c lower; 1 1/2c for Milwaukee Club; 2 1/2c for Prime Amber Michigan.

RYE.—Dull 3c for Western.

BARLEY AND MALT.—Dull.

CORN.—Dull, and heavy; 1c lower; 84c for sound mixed Western in store and delivered.

OATS.—Dull and lower; 42 1/2c for new Western; 37 1/2c for old do.

COFFEE.—Remains inactive.

SUGAR.—For raw quiet, but retains expectations; fair to strictly good is 10 1/2c@10 3/4c; Cuba, 10 1/2c@10 3/4c; Porto Rico, 10 1/2c@10 3/4c.

MOLASSES.—Steady at former figures.

PETROLEUM.—More steady; 20 1/2c for crude; 23 1/2c for refined in bond.

PORK.—Opened to-day more active and excited; 12 1/2c for New Mess, closing at 12 1/2c; for regular, 36 1/2c for old Mess, and 34 1/2c for Prime.

LARD.—Heavy and easier at 17 1/2c@17 3/4c.

BUTTER.—Steady, at 25 1/2c for Ohio, and 26c for State.

CHEESE.—16 1/2c.

MONEY.—Rather more active at 5 per cent. Sterling Exchange—Firm at 105 1/2.

GOLD.—Irregular and unsettled; opening

at 125 1/4, advancing to 125 3/4, declining to 125 1/2, and closing at 125 1/2.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.—More active; 5-20s, 102 1/2c; 10-40s, 102 1/2c; 10-60s, 102 1/2c; 10-80s, 102 1/2c; 10-100s, 102 1/2c; 10-120s, 102 1/2c; 10-140s, 102 1/2c; 10-160s, 102 1/2c; 10-180s, 102 1/2c; 10-200s, 102 1/2c; 10-220s, 102 1/2c; 10-240s, 102 1/2c; 10-260s, 102 1/2c; 10-280s, 102 1/2c; 10-300s, 102 1/2c; 10-320s, 102 1/2c; 10-340s, 102 1/2c; 10-360s, 102 1/2c; 10-380s, 102 1/2c; 10-400s, 102 1/2c; 10-420s, 102 1/2c; 10-440s, 102 1/2c; 10-460s, 102 1/2c; 10-480s, 102 1/2c; 10-500s, 102 1/2c; 10-520s, 102 1/2c; 10-540s, 102 1/2c; 10-560s, 102 1/2c; 10-580s, 102 1/2c; 10-600s, 102 1/2c; 10-620s, 102 1/2c; 10-640s, 102 1/2c; 10-660s, 102 1/2c; 10-680s, 102 1/2c; 10-700s, 102 1/2c; 10-720s, 102 1/2c; 10-740s, 102 1/2c; 10-760s, 102 1/2c; 10-780s, 102 1/2c; 10-800s, 102 1/2c; 10-820s, 102 1/2c; 10-840s, 102 1/2c; 10-860s, 102 1/2c; 10-880s, 102 1/2c; 10-900s, 102 1/2c; 10-920s, 102 1/2c; 10-940s, 102 1/2c; 10-960s, 102 1/2c; 10-980s, 102 1/2c; 10-1000s, 102 1/2c; 10-1020s, 102 1/2c; 10-1040s, 102 1/2c; 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